



## AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Applicant : Rhodes, et al.  
App. No. : 09/916,711  
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Examiner : Nasser, Robert L.  
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- (X) Amendment in 10 pages.
- (X) Enclosed are 13 references which were previously submitted in an IDS filed January 25, 2002.
- (X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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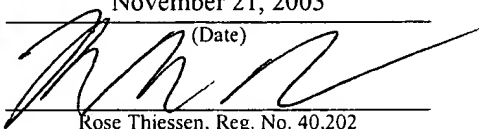
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 24, 2003, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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